

Postmen, Frederick Harold Babbage (Burnley), Edwin Elton (Gainsborough), Harry James (Lincoln), George Manson (Thurso), Herbert Miskelly (Dunoon), Doctor Charles Edward Robbins (Accrington), Frederick George Sorrell (Chelmsford).

Temporary Assistant Postmen, Glasgow, Alexander Walter McKane, James McKay, James Russell.

Temporary Assistant Postmen, Frank Henry Dougal (Bristol), George Herbert Kirby (Wakefield), Ernest Henry Edgar Morse (Cardiff), William Charles Pankhurst (Tunbridge Wells).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Myles Denis Coffey, Patrick William Danaher, Michael Finn, William John Ford, Patrick Edward Hayes, Thomas Woods Kent, Richard McCormack, Hugh Nicol Ross.

March 24, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Woman Clerk, Ethel Frances Christie.

Female Learners, London, Alice Claire Bolton, Emily Louisa Jolly, Enid Muriel Thomas, Gertrude Jessie Whitham.

Female Learners, Ruth Barrodale (Manchester), Hilda Blanche Maude Gibbs (Cardiff).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphists, London, May Frances Emilie Buckley, Kathleen Dale.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Dundrum Criminal Lunatic Asylum: Female Attendant, Catherine Tuite.

National Gallery: Attendant in the Tate Gallery of British Art, Robert William Percival.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Alfred Charles Benning, Charles Capon, Morris Ephraim Lack.

Porter, London, Thomas Armstrong.

Temporary Assistant Postman, Dublin, Thomas Ennis.

Tracer, Edinburgh, Herbert Murray.

Learners, George Frederick Austin (Newbury), William Craven (Ballymote).

Postmen, Edward Hill (Youghal), Charles Hollingworth (Boston), William Porter (Banff), David Pottie (Markinch), David Stewart (Perth).

Temporary Assistant Postmen, Charles Patrick Kelly (Manchester), Alexander Laidlaw Livingstone (Glasgow), George William Warburton (Sheffield).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

John Dunlop Breslin, Patrick Joseph Gogarty, William Kinnmouth, Oscar Leopold Maccabee, David Griffith Williams.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 166 to 179 of the year 1900.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.]

No. 166.—BRITISH COLUMBIA—FRASER RIVER.

Sturgeon Bank—Beacons Destroyed.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 326 of 1899:—

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice, dated 23rd February, 1900, that the black beacons situated about 3 and 5 miles respectively to the southward of Grey Point, and marking the edge of Sturgeon Bank, have been destroyed and will not be replaced.

Approximate position, northern beacon, on

Chart No. 1922, lat. 49° 13' 0" N., long 123° 16' 50" W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Haro and Rosario Straits, No. 2689; Strait of Georgis, No. 579; Fraser River and Burrard Inlets, No. 1922. Also, British Columbia Pilot, 1898, page 176.

No. 167.—BRITISH COLUMBIA—VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Brotchy Ledge—Light Exhibited;

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 713 of 1898:—

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given further notice, that on or about 6th February, 1900, an unwatched white occulting light showing occultations at short intervals, elevated 18 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 3 miles, was exhibited from the beacon on Brotchy Ledge, Victoria Harbour entrance; it is shown from a white rectangular structure surmounting the beacon.

Approximate position, lat. 48° 24' N., long. 123° 24' W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Haro and Rosario Straits, No. 2689; Haro Strait, No. 2840; Esquimalt and Victoria Harbours, No. 576; Victoria Harbour, No. 1897b. Also, List of Lights, Part VII, 1900, No. 403a, and British Columbia Pilot, 1898, page 82.

No. 168.—BRITISH COLUMBIA—STRAIT OF GEORGIA.

Walker Rock—Provisional Light Exhibited.

THE Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice, dated 19th February, 1900, that a provisional white fixed dioptric light, elevated 15 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 5 miles, is exhibited from the beacon on Walker Rock, Trincomali Channel.

Approximate position, lat. 48° 55½' N., long. 123° 29¼' W.

It is intended to place a permanent light on this beacon.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Strait of Georgia, No. 579; Haro and Rosario Strait, No. 2689; Active Pass to Gabriola Pass, No. 3029. Also, List of Lights, Part VII, 1900, page 68; and British Columbia Pilot, 1898, page 132.

No. 169.—ENGLAND—THAMES ENTRANCE.

Princes Channel, and the Warp—Wrecks.

THE Trinity House, London, has given notice, dated 13th March, 1900, that the undermentioned wrecks lie sunk in Princes Channel, and in the Warp:—

a. The wreck of the ketch "Flying Fish" lies 3 cables S. 22° W. of the S.E. Shingles buoy. A green buoy marked "Wreck" has been moored to the southward of the wreck in a depth of 48 feet, low-water springs, situated with South Shingles beacon, bearing N. 59° W., distant 1 mile, and North Margate beacon S. 7° E.

Approximate position, lat. 51° 29' 30" N., long. 1° 17' 40" E.

b. The wreck of the schooner "Resolute" lies about 1 mile S. 28° E. of East Admiralty buoy. A green buoy marked "Wreck" has been moored to the southward of the wreck in a depth of 42 feet at low-water springs, situated with S.W. measured mile beacon bearing N. 63° W., distant 19½ cables, and Mouse light-vessel N. 84° E.

Approximate position, lat. 51° 30' 15" N., long. 0° 55' 55" E.